

What is claimed is:

1. Galvanizing device having at least one jet cell (10) through which a work piece (16) to be galvanized, a brake line (18) or similar for example, is passed, having a contact zone (20) located after the jet cell (10) in the direction of transportation and at least one partition (26, 28) separating the jet cell (10) from the contact zone (20), and a seal (34) surrounding the work piece (16), characterized in that the seal (34) is situated at the outlet (30) of the jet cell (10).

2. Galvanizing device in accordance with claim 1, wherein the outlet (30) of the jet cell (10) is furnished with a pre-baffle (32) surrounding the outlet (30).

3. Galvanizing device in accordance with claim 1 or 2, wherein the pre-baffle (32) acts as a mount for the seal (34).

4. Galvanizing device in accordance with claim 2 or 3, wherein back- pressure is created in the pre-baffle (32), which slows the zinc electrolyte stream (14) leaving the jet cell (10).

5. Galvanizing device in accordance with one of the claims 2 to 4, wherein the seal (34) is formed by a stripper plate (36).

6. Galvanizing device in accordance with claim 5, wherein the seal (34) above the pre-baffle (32) occupies a specified position with respect to the work piece (16).

7. Galvanizing device in accordance with one of the claims 2 to 6, wherein the pre-baffle (32) is made of plastic.

8. Galvanizing device in accordance with one of the claims 2 to 7, wherein the pre-baffle (32) has an essentially cubic bowl shape.

9. Galvanizing device in accordance with one of the preceding claims, wherein it is configured to galvanize brake lines (18).

10. Galvanizing device in accordance with one of the preceding claims, wherein it is a high-speed galvanizing device.